



## **Laos Sports Partnership**

### **Sports & Physical Activity Small Grant 2026**

**Purpose:** This fund is for club development activity aimed at encouraging clubs to increase participation in sport and physical activity.

**Grant Value:** Up to €750 per organisation/club/group.

#### **Organisation/Club/Group Eligibility:**

- a. Organisations/Clubs/Groups based in County Laos.
- b. Operate as a 'not for profit' club or organisation that is open to public membership.
- c. Have a primary objective of sport or physically activity.
- d. Have policies and practices that encourage participation regardless of gender, age, race or ability.
- e. Operate under the basis of best practice for children in sport. A member of the club must have previously attended a Child Welfare & Protection Awareness or Safeguarding course (new clubs must commit to attending training where appropriate).
- f. New clubs will need to provide written confirmation of registration with their National Governing Body or appropriate agency before any granted funds are processed.
- g. Have adequate insurance in place for the purposes of the club.
- h. Successful applicants must be in a position to carry out reporting (together with submission of case study) within timeframes defined.

#### **Grant Spend Eligibility:**

- a. Spends directly associated with increasing participation levels in sport and physical activity.

### **Grant Spend Eligibility (desired):**

- a. Support for running inclusive programmes targeting key groups such as women in sport, ethnic minorities, older adults, disadvantaged communities and people with disabilities.
- b. Programmes/events which have the potential to develop into a sustainable, longer-term offering.

### **Ineligible Grant Spends:**

- a. Applications from individuals.
- b. Applications from National/Regional/County Governing Bodies/ Statutory agencies/Schools/Colleges.
- c. Applications from for profit groups/commercial organisations.
- d. Annual operational costs such as transport, insurance, registration, venue hire, training gear, and sports equipment.

### **Application Form:**

The application for Sports & Physical Activity Small Grant 2026 can be found [here](#)

### **Application Closing Date:**

Applications will be accepted up to: **Wednesday 11<sup>th</sup> March 2026 (5pm)**

### **Evaluation Report Form and Case Study:**

As part of this grant opportunity, applicants are required to agree to the collating and submission of an evaluation report form and case study. Templates relating to these requirements will be supplied. The deadline for submission of these is **Friday 30<sup>th</sup> October 2026 (5pm)**. Failure to meet this deadline will result in a lack of access to 2027 funding application competitions. Applicants should also note that successful organisations/clubs/groups must comply with any reasonable request regarding publicity from LSP.

All grants must be expended by Friday 30th October 2026.

### **Further information:**

For further information regarding the Sports & Physical Activity Small Grant 2026, please contact [info@laoissports.ie](mailto:info@laoissports.ie) .

